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Enclosed for filing please find a Declaration and Power of Attorney in connection with the above-identified application. Please charge our Deposit Account No. 12-1095 in the amount of \$130.00 covering the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e). Also enclosed is a copy of PTO form entitled "NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION."

If the Examiner has any questions concerning this application, he or she is requested to call applicant's attorney at (908) 654-5000. If any additional fees are required by the present Communication, the Examiner is hereby authorized to charge them to our Deposit Account No. 12-1095.

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith are five (5) replacement sheets of formal drawings for filing in connection with the above-identified patent application. The formal drawings are submitted in order to correct the informalities listed in form PTO-948.

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